GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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ADVERSE DRUG REACTION MONITORING CENTRES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some of the leading hospitals in the country have been identified as Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring Centres; and

(b) if so, the details alongwith its functions thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS)

(a) & (b) Yes Sir. Under National Pharmacovigilance Programme, some of the leading hospitals in the country have been identified as Adverse Drug Reaction (ADR) Monitoring Centres as Zonal, Regional, and Peripheral centers. Details of these centres are annexed.

Peripheral centres collect ADR reports from the Physicians and send to the Regional Centres. Regional Centres analyse the reports and send them to Zonal Centres. Zonal Centres accumulate data and prepare comprehensive report on ADRs and submit to the National Pharmacovigilance Advisory Committee to give necessary recommendations on such data.